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Lt. General James H. Doolittle
Office of the Chief of Staff
Headquarters, United States Air Force
Department of the Air Force
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Doolittle:

I appreciate your kind invitation of 21 August, inviting either Allen or myself to give the CIA presentation at the SAB meetings in December.

Unfortunately, the pressures of business are such as to prohibit me from joining you at that time and Allen, who is out of the country, has indicated his desire to maintain a relative flexible schedule through the end of the year. I am sure you will enjoy [redacted] He is eminently qualified to discuss the subjects you outlined in your earlier letter.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

Signed

C. P. Cabell
Lieutenant General, USAF
Acting Director

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21 August 1957

Lt. General C. P. Cabell
Acting Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Charley:

Thank you for your letter of the 15th.

Preparations for the SAB meeting at Chandler are progressing splendidly. This, I honestly believe, will be the finest and most useful—to the Air Force—meeting we have ever had.

As I indicated on the phone, it would have been ideal if Allen and you could give the C.I.A. presentation. In my letter I requested Bob Amory first because I know how busy you two are and second because I have the greatest respect for and confidence in him. Am sorry that Bob will be out of the country and hence unavailable. If neither you or Allen can come we will be pleased to have Mr. [REDACTED] Would, however, much prefer to have you or Allen if either one of you can possibly make it.

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Thanking you for your cooperation and with every good wish, I am,

As ever,

A handwritten signature, likely of J. H. Doolittle, is written above the typed name.

J. H. DOOLITTLE
Chairman
Scientific Advisory Board
Office of the Chief of Staff

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Office of the Chief of Staff
Headquarters, United States Air Force
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Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Doolittle:

Thank you for your 7 August letter to Mr. Dulles to confirm and amplify our telephone conversation regarding CIA's participation in a December meeting of the United States Air Force Scientific Advisory Board.

I am sorry that Mr. Amory will not be able to give the presentation you requested since he plans to be in Europe at that time.

However, we would be pleased to participate in the program and would like to nominate Mr. [] as a substitute for Mr. Amory. Mr. [] is Chief of our Estimates Staff and is well qualified to make a presentation and answer questions on the subject of Soviet intentions and capabilities. I enclose a brief biographic sketch on Mr. [] for your information.

Sincerely yours,

C. P. Cabell
Lieutenant General, USAF
Acting Director

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HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

7 August 1957

Mr. Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Allen:

This will confirm and amplify my conversation with General Cabell of a few moments ago.

The United States Air Force Scientific Advisory Board is composed of some sixty of this country's outstanding scientists who assist the Air Force in the solution of their more difficult scientific and technological problems.

The next full meeting of the Board will be held at the San Marcos Hotel at Chandler, Arizona, on December 4-5-6.

The subject to be considered will be "Limited War." Limited War, in this case, is to be defined as anything short of an all out nuclear conflict between the United States and the Soviets.

The first presentation will be a discussion of the overall world geopolitical position with particular emphasis on Soviet objectives, past, present and probable future, and the possible means that they may employ for the achievement of these objectives. This presentation is to be given by Professor Max Millikan of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

We would very much appreciate it if Bob Emory would give about a forty-five minute presentation, and then answer questions, on the Soviet intentions and capabilities with particular reference to potential limited conflict situations. It would be well if he would consider both positive and analytical intelligence. (All people in attendance will be Top Secret cleared.)

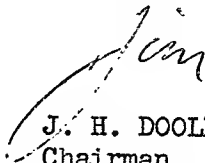
We then hope to have a presentation on U.S. Policy and its manner of implementation by a senior State Department official.

This will be followed by statements from our military leaders.

Air Force transportation from Washington to Phoenix, Arizona, will be furnished on December 3rd, and from Phoenix to Washington at the conclusion of the meeting.

C.I.A. participation in this meeting will add greatly to its value and we are most appreciative of your cooperation.

Very sincerely,



J. H. DOOLITTLE

Chairman

Scientific Advisory Board

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I think you'd enjoy this and wouldn't be very much effort.

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